

LOCAL

We have investigated J. Erickson & Son's prices and goods and find the prices to be the lowest and the goods the best in Columbia County. Trade at the Warren store.

BASEBALL—St. Helens defeated the Columbia Hardware Company team last Sunday in a ten-inning game by a score of 9 to 8. For the first four innings it looked like an easy job for the Portlanders, as Young, the imported St. Helens pitcher, was unable to connect with anything lower than the top row of the grandstand. In the fifth inning Summers, who had been occupying a reserved seat on the side line in order to give a chance for another experiment, was called upon. He surprised all by the excellence of his work, and the credit of winning the game was certainly his. Next Sunday St. Helens against the Catholic Young Men's Club, with Bracke in the box for the home team. This will probably be as good a game as will be seen on the St. Helens grounds this season.

Virgil Powell, census enumerator for St. Helens and Houlton, completed his work and returned home to the Neale last Tuesday. Owing to the strike of the blockcutters the population of our city will not be as large as many have expected. We believe it will fall below 800. The tract known as Columbia Park and the property of the St. Helens Quarry Company are not within the city limits, and they contain about 200 residents.

We wish to announce to our friends and patrons that we carry a full line of Brown and Hamilton celebrated American Gentlemen and American Lady shoes and would be pleased to show them to you. There is no more important detail of your attire than shoes. You will find nothing smarter or correct than our new American Gentlemen Oxford. The superiority of this, like all American Gentlemen shoes, is not only in appearance; it covers every detail, inside and out.

JAMES MUCKLE & SON.
Mr. George Flagg is taking a vacation over in the Nehalem Valley. He expects to be gone just as long as possible, though he will probably make frequent trips over the mountains to supply the family and friends with mountain trout.
Mr. J. R. Beegle, collector of customs at Ketchikan, Alaska, returned to his Northern home last Saturday, after a short visit with relatives here. He spent part of his vacation looking at and purchasing a tract of land near Medford, Oregon, from which he will probably realize enough to live in ease after he dispenses with the services of Uncle Sam.

Messrs. Richardson & Draper, agents for the sale of East St. Johns' property, have interested a number of St. Helens people in their proposition. Their new advertisement in this week's issue should interest those who are looking for a good investment for their surplus earnings. A little money invested now in good real estate means independence in old age.

Dollars on Time Certificates of Deposit in the Columbia County Bank are growing every day. Spent dollars are gone for all time.

Mrs. F. A. Moore and Mrs. Frank Miles left Monday on the Italia, for their homes, after having a very pleasant visit with their old friends and neighbors in St. Helens.

Mrs. R. Farris has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Muckle, during the past week.

LAUNCH FOR SALE—30 foot boat, 8 foot beam, equipped with 12 horse 2 cylinder Pay & Bowen engine. Boat and engine in good condition and cost over \$2000. Well worth \$1000. Goes at \$800 if taken at once. Inquire at the Mist office.

THOUSANDS OF THEM—Cabbage plants and tomato plants, Cabbages 10c per dozen. Tomato plants 10c, 15c and 20c. Best varieties. You get them fresh from the ground when you buy of me. Louis Rossico, at the greenhouse, St. Helens.

A social, in connection with the M. E. church at Houlton, will be given in the W. O. W. Hall, on Saturday, April 30th, by the young ladies. Ice cream, coffee and sandwiches will be served. Come out and have a good time. Every one welcome.

Your deposit counts; it is growing all the time. Your spending will never return. Take the 4 percent the Columbia County Bank pays on Time Certificates of Deposit.

William Chambers, aged 82 years, died at his home at 1170 East Salmon street, on Sunday last. Mr. Chambers was an uncle of Mrs. W. A. Harris, of this city, who went to Portland Tuesday for the purpose of attending the funeral.

FOR SALE—Eggs for hatching. S. C. Brown Leghorns; S. C. Black Minorcas; S. C. Barred Rocks. Market eggs at market price. Yards opposite wireless station. W. C. MORLEY, Houlton, Oregon, Box 97.

A sailor was drowned by falling from the Klamath, loading lumber at a wharf, on Friday morning last. He had sunk his book into a piece of lumber, and as he pulled back it came out suddenly, causing him to fall over the rail into the water. He never came to the surface and an attempt to recover his body was unsuccessful.

A Chapter of the Eastern Star was instituted at Rainier last Friday evening by Grand Worthy Matron Mrs. A. Antonette Stiles. Quite a number of the members of Mizpah (St. Helens) Chapter attended and assisted in the work, among them being: Mrs. E. E. Quick, Mrs. Dart, Mrs. John, Mrs. Dilard, Mrs. Gray, Mrs. Legg, Mrs. Craig, Mrs. Wm. Muckle, Mrs. Briggs, Mrs. Gage, Miss Alice Quick and Mr. C. E. Lake.

Rhode Island Red eggs for setting, for sale by D. T. Gerdes, Oasis Park, 22-1020

PATRON OF HUSBANDRY—Pomona Grange meets at Houlton Saturday, May 7th. As this is the last Pomona prior to the meeting of the State Grange at Oregon City it should be one of great interest and largely attended. Make your arrangements so as to be present.

NOT A MAN IN THE HOUSE—Tonight (Friday) at the Arcade Theatre, five school girls will present to the public the amusing comedy, "Not a Man in the House." Go early if you want a seat, for the attendance will be limited only by the capacity of the house. Its a nice, clean little play, full of fun, and you will enjoy it. The play will be presented between the acts of the moving picture show. Tickets, 25 cents for grownups, and 15 cents for children. Benefit of the St. Helens Girls' Basketball Team. Everybody buy a ticket.

Paints, oils, varnish, nails, shell hardware, screws and bolts—all kinds of builder's material at the store of Jas. Muckle & Son.

You run into debt; but you will have to walk out. Its harder to pay the dollar you owe than to deposit the dollar you spend. The Columbia County Bank pays 4 per cent on Time Certificates of Deposit.

BORN—To the wife of A. W. Mueller of this city, on Monday night last, April 25th—a son.

Marriage licenses have been issued during the past week as follows: Edna R. Fowler to Ernest Gwin, Ida Brant to West Holt. Edna Morehead and Herman Fowler were united in wedlock at the M. E. Parsonage, Rainier, on April 23d, by Rev. E. F. Cook.

FOR SALE—Three choice lots in St. Helens. Choice bearing fruit trees and other small fruits, a new 9-room house, new woodshed, barn, 3 blocks from Columbia River. \$1700. Half down, balance on time. A bargain.

JOHN RUBENS.
A hen will lay in a nest with another egg in it. A portion of this year earnings put in the Columbia County Bank. Mr. Farmer, will invite other dollars to keep it company.

COWS AND ROCKS—The common council, at its meeting last Monday night, postponed for one week the consideration of the ordinance prohibiting cows from running at large, and granted to Charles Olsen, under contract to be prepared by the city attorney, the right to cut blocks in the city's quarry at \$2.00 per thousand. The cow question was discussed and discussed by various parties, enough heat being developed to materially affect the temperature of the room. Mayor Miller was absent, but he will probably be on hand next Monday to hear his share of the battle. It is understood that each member of the council will wear a catcher's mask and a stomach protector, and as the marshals is on the cow side of the question strong, it may be necessary to have the sheriff present to preserve order.

SOME GOOD SHOES CHEAP—Small sizes, up to 7 1/2, in shoes that sell at \$3.50 to \$4.50, to close them out at \$2.75. Here is a chance to get a good pair of finest custom made shoes at less than cost. Wellington's is the place.

If you don't buy Devore Paints, you don't get the best. A complete line of Gerdes, Oasis Park.

FOR SALE—One Jersey cow and one thoroughbred Jersey bull. Inquire of J. E. Smith, Millen ranch, Yankton, Or. The residences of Messrs. Morton and McCormick are nearing completion, and will be among the best appearing in the city. The old water tank will probably be torn down when the new system is installed, and we understand if this is done they will make improvements on the city's lot at the edge of the bluff and convert it into a slightly little rest park.

H. J. Southard has had the sand and crushed rock hauled upon his lots just west of M. C. Gray's and will soon begin the work on the concrete foundation for his new house.

Mr. W. A. Harris is having his house moved back of the street line on Columbia street, and will build a concrete sidewalk. We are informed that all the other property owners in the block in question will take the same action.

Don't fail to attend the drama tonight at the Arcade Theatre, entitled, "Not a Man in the House," and presented by St. Helens' young ladies.

Details furnished by
CHAD CHADIMA, AGENT
OR
H. M. ADAMS
G. F. & P. A.

Portland Oregon

J. ERICKSON & SONS
WARREN

We pay the Freight, because we sell at as reasonable prices as you can buy in Portland or elsewhere, and we keep the best quality of goods. Fair dealing is the only thing that can build up a permanent business, and, as we are investing a large sum of money in a store building and expect to carry a stock of General Merchandise second to none in the county, you may be assured that we will use every effort to justify the people of the Bachelor Flat and Warren neighborhood in giving us their patronage. Goods will be delivered at your door. Telephone orders will receive prompt attention. A trial will convince you that Warren is the place to sell your country produce and to purchase your supplies.

The Warren Merchants
ERICKSON & SONS

GOLD DISCOVERY—John A. Krum, of Quincy, well known here as a conservative and honest man, claims to have made an important gold discovery on the Clatskanie river, about seven miles from Quincy. Both quartz and placer have been found. Samples of sand and quartz have been sent to the Pioneer Assaying Company, of San Francisco, and they find that the rock runs \$16 40 to the ton, while the sand gives the enormous yield of \$671.77 to the ton. An adjoining claim is said to be even richer than Krum's, but no assay has been made or it. Krum is making preparations to develop his claim and has the utmost faith that he has made a rich find.

Mr. S. S. Long, of Houlton, received very severe injuries by the explosion of a blast while at work on his county contract near Goble Wednesday.

Mrs. A. M. Decker, of Portland, is visiting her daughter Mrs. Eugene Miles, of this place.

WORK TO BEGINS—The Water Commissioners, at their meeting last Monday night, accepted the plans of Engineer Scoggin, of Portland, and will at once advertise for bids for the construction of St. Helens' new water system. Work will be started within ten days of the acceptance of bids and must be completed within ninety days of the start, so that we may expect the new system to be in operation within four months from today.

Mr. Geo. Olsen, of Kist, visited St. Helens yesterday, for the first time in four years, and was very much surprised and pleased at the progress made by the county seat.

Mr. C. H. John has accepted a position in a large merchandise store at Banks, Washington County.

Mizpah Chapter of the Eastern Star received an official visit from the Grand Matron last Saturday night and entertained her in a manner worthy of the order.

Some "Sure Things" are surer than others. A Time Certificate is the surest "Sure Thing." The Columbia County Bank will make this clear. Pays 4 per cent on Time Certificates of Deposit.

PLANTS DELIVERED—Tomato, cauliflower and cabbage plants 10 cents per dozen, in any quantity. Delivered free on Warren R. F. D. Send orders to Lew Davies, Warren.

American Wonder, the best of the varieties, and Burbank, seed potatoes for sale. C. J. LARSEN, Warren, Ore.

SEWING MACHINE FOR SALE—Inquire at this office.

CANNED FRUIT FOR SALE—Home canned. Ten cents per quart.

Wm. SKUTZKE, Bachelor Flat.

PIRONS FOR SALE—Furniture, Homers, Giant Routs and Maltose Heus. Registered stock. Frank Wilkins, St. Helens. Full blooded racing Jersey bull for sale by C. J. Larson, Warren.

EXCURSIONS To The East
May 21, June 21, 24, July 5, 22, Aug. 2, 1910. Return limit three months, but not extending October 31st. VI

ASTORIA & COLUMBIA RIVER RY and **SPOKANE PORTLAND & SEATTLE RY** (THE NORTH BANK ROAD)

Chicago	\$72.50	Minneapolis	60.00
St. Louis	67.50	Omaha	60.00
Milwaukee	72.50	Kansas City	60.00
St. Paul	60.00	Duluth	60.00

Choice of going and returning routes. Stopovers allowed. "North Bank" trains run through to St. Paul, Minneapolis and Chicago without change. LOW ROUND TRIP RATES TO PORTLAND for the Rose Festival in June and the Hibernian Convention in July will give your friends a chance to come to the coast and stop off at Houlton.

Details furnished by
CHAD CHADIMA, AGENT
OR
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Portland Oregon

TAKE A PEEP

WE ONLY WISH YOU TO "TAKE A PEEP" AT THE ENCHANTING ARRAY OF SPRING AND SUMMER MERCHANDISE WE ARE NOW SHOWING. THIS MEANS THAT YOU WILL BUY YOUR OUTFIT FOR THE SEASON AT OUR ESTABLISHMENT. THIS MEANS THAT YOU WILL GET THE QUALITY YOU WISH, THE STYLE YOU DESIRE AND AT PRICES NOT HIGH. WE HAVE NONE BUT PLEASED CUSTOMERS, BECAUSE WE DO NOT PERMIT OUR SALESPeOPLE TO "FORCE" A PURCHASE. WE RESPECTFULLY INVITE YOU TO COME TO OUR ESTABLISHMENT AND "TAKE A PEEP."

OUR NEW LINE OF

Ladies' -:- Millinery

Includes a few Spring Hats trimmed by

King & Co.

Portland's Most Exclusive Milliners

\$5.00 HAT FREE

To the person guessing nearest the population of St. Helens. A guess free with every 50c purchase. The census man is now at work. Contest ends as soon as he is through.

JAS. MUCKLE & SON

Ladies' and Misses' Skirts AT LESS THAN PORTLAND PRICES.

HIGH LIVING

Who says living is high? For live and let live prices, see

C. H. BRIGGS

YANKTON OREGON

We have no rent to pay nor do we employ a high priced book keeper. We can afford to sell our goods at low prices. For instance read the following cash prices:

GROCERIES	
3 Cans Tomatoes	25c
3 " Best Peaches	50c
3 " Best Appricots	50c
1 Sack Best Flour	\$1.60
2 pounds Best 25c Coffee	45c
Sugar 15 1-2 pounds for	1.00
3 pounds best mixed tea	90c
2 cans best peas	25c
2 cans best beans	25c
3 cans milk	25c
3 pkgs. best mince meat	25c
3 pounds best rice	25c
5 pounds good rice	25c
7 boxes matches	25c
2 pkgs. Dew Drop washing pwdr	40c
2 pkgs. Olympic Pancake Flour	40c
3 pkgs. Celluloid starch	25c
7 bars Star soap	25c
7 bars excellent toilet soap	25c
5 gallons oil	80c

DRY GOODS AND CLOTHING

Men's 1.25 to 1.50 gloves	99c
Men's 3.00 Corduroy Pants	\$2.35
Men's 3.00 Dress Pants	2.50
Men's 2.00 Pants	1.50
95c Overalls, best material	50c
Good 3.25 shoes	2.50
Few prs. 3.25 Patent Oxfords	2.25
Women's 1.35, 1.25 Wrappers	85c, 95c
Women's 1.25 black sateen petticoats	1.00
Ladies \$1.50 white waists	90c
Percale waists	40c

Telephone No. 3 short rings. Phone always receives prompt attention.

Bring us all of your eggs. We pay highest market prices and then some.

C. H. BRIGGS

Yankton Oregon

Notice to Creditors

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed administrator of the estate of John Frantz, deceased, by the County Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Columbia. All persons having claims against said estate are required to present the same, properly verified as required by law, to me at my office in St. Helens, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof.

M. E. MILLER, Administrator of the estate of John Frantz, deceased.

Date of first publication, April 13, 1910.

Devore Paint will last longer and go farther than any other. A complete line at Gerdes, Oasis Park.

A RARE OPPORTUNITY—A six room house in fine condition; with pantry and bathroom. Two lots, overlooking the river, with a beautiful view that can not be shut off. For price and terms inquire at the Mist office.

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Copy of Order to Show Cause

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Columbia County.

In the matter of the estate and guardianship of Donald Keith Carr, a minor.

Mrs. E. R. Carr, the guardian of the estate of Donald Keith Carr, a minor, having on the 14th day of April, 1910, filed her petition herein, duly verified, praying for an order of sale of all the real and personal property and estate of said minor, for the purposes and purposes set forth in said petition.

It is therefore ordered by said county court that said minor, Donald Keith Carr, a minor, and his mother and guardian, said Mrs. E. R. Carr, the mother and guardian of said minor, and his sister, and all persons interested in said estate, appear before said county court on Saturday, the 14th day of May, 1910, at one o'clock p. m. of said day, at the city of St. Helens, Columbia County, Oregon, to show cause, if any there be, why an order should not be made granting to said guardian and heretofore to sell all the real and personal property of said minor at private sale; and that a copy of this order shall be published for three successive weeks in the Oregon Mist, a weekly newspaper regularly printed, published and circulated in Columbia County, Oregon, and now specified by the court as the proper paper in which to make such publication.

The following is a true description of all real property of said minor by said petition sought to be sold: An undivided one fourth interest in and to all the following described tracts and premises, to-wit: The southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section three, township three north, range one west, lot three four, and the east one half of the southeast quarter, and the north east quarter of the southeast quarter, and the east half of the northwest quarter, township three north, range one west, lot one, less a strip of land, 40 rods wide on the east side, sold to Sylvia M. Bower, by deed recorded in Book X, page 114 of records of deeds for Columbia County, Oregon.

In section fourteen, township three north, range one west, lot two, three, four, and the west half of the east half, less about 20 acres of the south side hereof, sold to Fred A. Jennings in section fourteen, township three north, range one west, lot one, four, and five in section fifteen, all in township three north, range one west, of the Willamette meridian, Columbia County, Oregon, and containing 807 acres.

And the following is a true description of the personal property of said estate so sought to be sold, to-wit: An undivided one eighth interest in and to said level of house, 2 chickens, 1 colt, 5 surface calves, 25 yearling heifers, 30 stock cows, 100 dairy cows, 2 Jersey bulls, 1 engine and fixtures, 1 separator, 100 chickens, 1 cow, 1 horse, 1 milking disc harrow, 1 hay rack, 1 set walking plow, 1 Walter Wood Mower, 1 cultivator, 1 set blacksmith tools, 3 pole barns, 4 wagons, 2 harnesses, 2 horses, 1 old horse, 1 set hay scales and fixtures, small farming and garden tools, 11 sheep, household and kitchen furnishings—all being the personal property of the late firm of Frantz and Carr, and now located upon the above described real property.

Ordered and come to open court, at St. Helens, Oregon, on the 14th day of April A. D. 1910.

JAMES DART, County Judge.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Columbia County. In the matter of the Estate of Helena A. Franz, deceased. Notice is hereby given that Fred Frantz, the executor of the estate of Helena A. Franz, deceased, has rendered and prepared for settlement, and filed in said court his final account of his administration of said estate, and that Saturday, the 23d day of April, 1910, at one o'clock p. m., at the court room of said court, at the court house in the city of St. Helens, Columbia County, Oregon, has been duly appointed by the judge of said court for the settlement of said account, at which time and place any person interested in said estate may appear and file objections to said account and have their objections to said account heard.

FRED FRANTZ, Executor.

Dated March 25, 1910.

Notice of Final Account

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Columbia County.

In the matter of the Estate of Frank Payne, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ANNIE PAYNE, administratrix of the above estate, has filed in the office of the Clerk of Columbia County, Oregon, on the 14th day of April, 1910, at the hour of ten o'clock a. m., a true and correct copy of her final account of her administration of said estate, and that on the 23d day of April, 1910, at one o'clock p. m., at the court room of said court, at the court house in the city of St. Helens, Columbia County, Oregon, has been duly appointed by the judge of said court for the settlement of said account, at which time and place any person interested in said estate may appear and file objections to said account and have their objections to said account heard.

FRED FRANTZ, Executor.

Dated March 25, 1910.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed administrator of the estate of John Frantz, deceased, by the county court of the State of Oregon for the County of Columbia. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same, properly verified as required by law, to me at my office in St. Helens, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof.

JAMES LEONARD, Administrator of the estate of John Frantz, deceased.

M. E. Miller, Attorney for Administrator.

Date of first publication April 1, 1910.

NOTICE OF REGISTRATION.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Columbia.

In the matter of the application of E. J. Staines and Maggie Staines, his wife, to register the title to the following described real property, situated in Columbia County, State of Oregon: Commencing at the northeast corner of the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section six (6) in township four (4) north, range one (1) west of the Willamette meridian, thence running south on the east line of the said southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section six (6) to the intersection of said east line with the present traveled county road leading from Houlton to Pittsburg, thence running in a northwesterly course along the north boundary line of said county road to the intersection of said road with the west line of the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter of said section six (6), thence running north on said west line to the Northwest corner of the southeast quarter of the Northwest quarter of said section six (6), thence running east on the north boundary line of said southeast quarter of the Northwest quarter of said section six (6) to the place of beginning and containing twenty (20) acres more or less.

VERBS:
Bernice Alsworth Baker, Fanny Daisy Alsworth, now Daisy Alsworth Morgan, John C. Alsworth, Harry E. Alsworth, Charles E. Alsworth, Belle Alsworth, Charles E. Ladd, W. M. Ladd, and J. W. Ladd, Trustees of the Estate of W. C. Ladd, deceased, heirs at law of C. W. Ralston, deceased, whose true names are unknown; the heirs at law of W. C. Ladd, deceased, whose true names are unknown, and all others whom it may concern.

TAKE NOTICE:
That on the 9th day of March, A. D. 1910, an application was filed by said E. J. Staines and Maggie Staines, his wife, in the Circuit Court of Columbia County, for initial registration of the title of the land above described. Now unless you appear on or before the 23rd day of April, 1910, and show cause why such application shall not be granted, the same will be taken as confessed and a decree will be entered according to the prayer of the application and you will be forever barred from disputing the same.

W. A. HARRIS, Clerk.
This summons is published by order of Hon. J. A. Strickler, Judge of said court, on the 11th day of March, 1910, and the last on the 22nd day of April, 1910.

J. A. Strickler, Murphy, Brodie & Sweet, Attorneys for Applicant.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Columbia County. In the matter of the Estate of John Frantz, deceased. Notice is hereby given that Fred Frantz, the executor of the estate of John Frantz, deceased, has rendered and presented for settlement and filed in said court his final account of his administration of said estate, and that Saturday, the 23d day of April, 1910, at one o'clock p. m., at the court room of said court, at the court house in the city of St. Helens, Columbia County, Oregon, has been duly appointed by the judge of said court for the settlement of said account, at which time and place any person interested in said estate may appear and file objections to said account and have their objections to said account heard.

FRED FRANTZ, Executor.

Dated March 25, 1910.

SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Columbia County.

Arthur Thomas Robinson, plaintiff, vs. Pearl Florida Robinson, defendant.

To Pearl Florida Robinson, the above-named defendant:

In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer to a complaint filed against you in the above entitled court and cause on or before the 14th day of May, 1910, which is six weeks after April 1, 1910, the date ordered for the first publication of this notice, and if you fail to appear and answer the plaintiff will apply for the relief prayed for in his complaint, to-wit: For a decree dissolving the bonds of matrimony now existing between the above-named plaintiff and defendant, and for such other and further relief as to like court seems meet and just.

This summons is published by order of the Hon. James Dart, Judge of the County Court for Columbia County.

H. G. LAKE, Attorney for plaintiff.

Date of first publication April 1, 1910.

Date of last publication May 15, 1910.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Portland, Oregon, April 23d, 1910.

Notice is hereby given that James L. Duffield, of Kist, Columbia County, Oregon, who, on April 10th, 1908, made homestead application No. 16483, serial No. 01503, for northeast quarter of section 28, township 3 N., range 3 W., Willamette meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final commutation proof to establish claim to the land above described, before the Register and Receiver of the U. S. Land Office at Portland, Oregon, on the 12th day of May, 1910. Claimant desires an adjournment of said hearing, George D. Olson, Edward E. Miller and John B. Dallas, all of Kist, Oregon.

CHAS. S. MERRICK, Register.